



## District council's gamble

*Organisation hopes to secure lottery funding to reduce bills*

WEST Dorset District Council is gambling on Heritage Lottery funding to reduce its bills for the authority's High West Street offices when it moves out later in the year.

The council is hoping to win charity money to keep the former Tolpuddle Martyrs Court, which sits inside the building, as a tourist attraction.

If the scheme gets the go ahead it could be run by the Dorset County Museum. The plans also allow for the Trinity Street Tourist Information Centre to move into the building.

**by Trevor Bevens**

If the Lottery bid fails the council will be faced with either shutting the famous court, or finding the cash from council tax funds to keep it open – partially undermining its claims about saving money by moving to a new HQ in South Walks.

The court has caused problems in marketing the High West Street council offices with agents having to exclude the Grade I

listed part of the building from the sale. Offers for the building, if there are any, close on July 6th.

Many in Dorchester fear that the building could be left semi-derelict and an increasing burden on local council taxpayers. The offices, which the council says is not suitable for modern business, has little obvious alternative uses: Dorchester already has an excess of town centre flats, two new hotels are being built at Brewery Square and funding problems for elderly care, coupled with the high cost of converting



■ **MOVING OUT:** the existing district council offices in High West Street which contain the martyr's court

the building, leave little obvious uses for the site.

There is also scepticism about the council's claims to want to turn the former court into what it claims will be "a major visitor centre with high quality exhibitions and educa-

tional resources" after the authority's years of restricting access to the building and spending little on its upkeep.

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**THE award-winning Sub Tropical Gardens at Abbotsbury is widely recognised for its outstanding horticultural, historical and public appeal. Assistant head gardener Tim Newman has worked in the gardens for two years and is well placed to explain why so many visitors come to explore the woodland walks and gardens. As well as being a qualified horticulturalist he is also a 'budding' artist with a special interest in botanical drawing. Tim is 37 years old and lives near Evershot.**

## ■ HOW did you get into this job?

I was self-employed in Somerset as a gardener but I decided I wanted to work in a garden that had some meaning behind it. So, I went off to New Zealand and worked in Christchurch Botanic Gardens. When I came back, I worked as a volunteer at Bristol Botanic Gardens and gained more experience, so when this job came up I had all the relevant experience.

## ■ HOW did the sub-tropical gardens come to be here?

They began life as a walled kitchen garden within the Earl of Ilchesters estate back in the 1700s. Then during the 1800s successive Earls began travelling abroad as diplomats. The fourth Earl in particular was a keen botanist so he brought back specimens from all over the world and that's how the sub-tropical collection got started.

## ■ WHY do the gardens flourish here in Dorset?

Well the climate in this particular spot is ideal. There is warm sea air and a blanket of evergreen oaks that help keep the warmth in plus we're in a bit of a rain shadow so it isn't too wet. So really we've got a mini Mediterranean climate going on.

## ■ WHAT is a typical working day like for you?

We start at 8am, check our areas and carry out any noisy or disruptive work before 10am, when the gates open to the public. Then I'll liaise with the curator and the team and decide what needs to be done.

## ■ THE gardens recently won an award, what was that for?

Yes, this year we won the 2012 Garden of the Year Award which is sponsored by Christies International



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and The Historic houses Association. It's a very prestigious award that's been going for 28 years and it identifies us as a national treasure which is obviously a huge compliment.

## ■ WHAT'S the most rewarding aspect of your job?

It's a really good team to work with and its great coming in each day knowing that there'll be something different and interesting to do and see; something new comes in to flower, you know every year that it's going to come round again but somehow it's still always a surprise. It's interesting being able to step into this sub-tropical world every day, and then step out of it back into the surrounding native flora and fauna – this is a bit of an oasis.

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## Struggling authorities open roundabouts to sponsorship

DORSET'S roundabouts are being offered for corporate sponsorship – as local authorities struggle to maintain them.

A total of 75, excluding the A31 and parts of the A35, are being made available through a sponsorship and advertising agency based in Suffolk.

The move was agreed by Dorset County Council's Cabinet as a way of helping supplement reducing budgets.

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Any income generated will be shared between the marketing company and the county council.  
Peter Finney, Cabinet member for highways and trans-

portation said: "I am very pleased that our roundabouts are going to be used in this way. Companies get an excellent chance to promote themselves, the maintenance of our roundabouts will be enhanced and the local taxpayer will get better value for money."

Marketing Force identified 75 roundabouts as suitable for sponsorship. The company say that normally 95 per cent of sponsors are local businesses based in the area.

## Prince Charles pays a visit to tour Poundbury development

PRINCE Charles was in Dorchester on Tuesday touring his Poundbury development and helping bury a time capsule beneath the town's new leisure centre.

It had been hoped that the Prince would officially open the new £8million centre in Coburg Road but the building is not quite ready and is now likely to be officially opened in a month's time.

Pupils cheered to welcome the Prince as he arrived.

To their delight he went straight to the fence to talk to the youngsters, asking some how they were getting on with their exams.

He was then welcomed to the building by a line-up of civic dignitaries including West Dorset District Council vice chairman David Crowhurst and Dorchester Mayor

Andy Canning.

Inside the building he was greeted by former Dorchester Mayor, Les Phillips, who set up a fund in 1973 to build a swimming pool for the town - around £70,000 of that fund being donated to the new pool.

"It's a great day for Dorchester with this new leisure centre. It will be the first time that the town has had a pool it hasn't had to share with one of the schools," said Mr Phillips.

His tour also included a ride on the

new electric bus, the first in the South West, which is running between Poundbury and Dorchester town centre.

Later in the afternoon the Prince visited the anaerobic digester at Rainbow Farm, to the west of Poundbury, which is already supplying around 750 homes on the estate with electricity.

■ **PRINCE Charles is welcomed by civic dignitaries, including Dorchester Mayor Andy Canning**



### Three vans broken into and tools stolen

THREE vans parked in the Victoria Park area of Dorchester have been broken into and tools worth around £1,000 taken from one of them.

The break-ins happened in the early hours of Sunday, June 24th.

Police are appealing for anyone

with information or who might have seen something suspicious to call 101. Police would also like to remind commercial vehicle owners to remove all valuables and to keep a record of the serial numbers of tools and other valuable items.

## Gamble on lottery funding

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of court figures have long been held up to ridicule on internet postings about visits to the court and accompanying cells

As the council's own news release says: "Time has stood still at the court, which appears today almost as it did in Georgian times."

The council say that the project is of great importance, safeguarding the area's history and attracting more tourists to West Dorset.

There will now be a chance for local people to give their views on the plans for the court with the Trades Union Council amongst those who have already been consulted.

West Dorset District Council is inviting people to visit [www.dorsetforyou.com/shirehallproject](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/shirehallproject) or contact the council on 01305 251010 to find out more about the project.

+ A public meeting is being held in Dorchester Town Hall next Wednesday, July 4th, at 7pm to discuss the ex-

ternal auditors report into the Conservative-run council's handling of the decision to build new offices.

Independent councillor Alistair Chisholm, who has arranged the meeting, says the KMPG report only gives the council two out of a possible four points for 'value for money over the new building.

"More and more West Dorset residents, seeing for themselves the scale and setting of this Titanic edifice, express their dismay at what us being done to the county town with their money," said Cllr Chisholm.

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**CLOSER** working between three middle schools in the Dorchester area could be on the cards after they agreed to work together on Academy status.

St Osmund's and Dorchester Middle School will be working with St Mary's in Puddletown.

All three schools feed into the Thomas Hardy School which already has Academy status.

The heads of the three schools believe the move will give them more flexibility and offer more opportunities for pupils.

All three schools will retain their names.

### Woman airlifted after fall

**A 53-YEAR-OLD** woman had to be airlifted by the coastguard after fracturing her ankle while walking near Cerne Abbas.

She was walking up a hill close to the Cerne Giant when she tripped and fell.

The area was inaccessible to vehicles so she had to be winched to safety by the helicopter and then transferred to a waiting ambulance which took her to hospital in Dorchester for treatment.

### New garden guide

**A NEW** guide is available to explain the monuments in Dorchester's Borough Gardens.

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## Local volunteer features in St John Ambulance anniversary celebrations

A VOLUNTEER from Chickereil features in a nation-wide online project to celebrate 125 years of St John Ambulance.

The story of Rex Purchase forms part of anniversary celebrations unveiled last Sunday.

Rex, who is now 75 and president of the charity's Weymouth Division, has been a member of St John Ambulance for 67 years.

Over the years he has served as Divisional Officer of the Cadets in 1974, as Superintendent in 1977 and he has trained and treated many people, largely in Weymouth but also throughout the county.

His first aid skills have been used many times including in two choking incidents with children, a serious road traffic collision and in performing cardio pulmonary resuscitation on a man who suffered a cardiac arrest. Although he died the next day in hospital, it allowed the patient's family a few precious final hours to say goodbye.

For the first time 125 people shared their stories from the formation of the St John Ambulance Association in 1887 to the present day against a backdrop of worldwide events, demonstrating how St John has been a crucial part of the fabric of society for 125 years.

Celebrations encompassed stories of volunteers saving lives during the Second World War, providing first aid to the crowds at royal weddings and dealing with hysteria during Beatlemania.

It dealt with how St John trains and educates members of the public to be the difference between life and death and how the organisation has played an important role in national history and continues to do so.

These first hand accounts can be seen at [www.sja.org.uk/125voices](http://www.sja.org.uk/125voices) and will also shape an exhibition at the Priory Church of St John in London which opens to the public from July 2nd-September 29th.

The exhibition brings to life personal experiences from the past 125 years alongside displays of many previously unseen objects from the museum's unique collections.



■ REX Purchase training young St John Ambulance badger Evie Osborne, aged 10

Each year up to 150,000 people die in situations where first aid could have been the difference between a life lost and a life saved. St John Ambulance's current 40,000 volunteers and the hundreds of thousands before them have been instrumental in saving lives.

St John Ambulance chief executive Sue Killen said: "This is a huge landmark for us as an organisation. I'm proud that we'll be celebrating 125 years with the stories of those who have been instrumental in saving lives. They demonstrate the importance of first aid and St John Ambulance."

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# Olympic honour for floristry students

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KINGSTON Maurward College Floristry students have been asked to help with the victory bouquets for the medal winners at the 2012 Olympics.

The college, on the outskirts of Dorchester, has been selected to help create floral bouquets for the Olympic sailing event in Weymouth and Portland this summer.

The Kingston Maurward student designers will be made up from a team of both Level 2 and Level 3 floristry students, and trained by Louise Govier, concessions manager at John Lewis in London's Oxford Street.

Louise said: "I'm very impressed with the students' confidence and understanding of the brief – they're doing incredibly well with the bouquets, and they're delighted to be taking part in such a prestigious event."

Training sessions will be held over the next few weeks, in order for all the team to understand the concept of the design and how to construct the 60 bouquets for the sailing events.

Kingston Maurward College floristry tutor Tracey Nadin said: "It is an exciting experience for the students to be part of such an historical event, and working in partnership with such a well-respected floristry company, it's a brilliant learning opportunity for us all!"



■ KINGSTON Maurward floristry students with their bouquets



## Patients advised to leave time for journey

PATIENTS travelling to Dorset County Hospital for appointments on July 12th and Weymouth Hospital on July 13th are being asked to allow extra time for their journey.

The hold-ups are likely to be caused as The Olympic Flame arrives in the area.

The hospital's Director of Operations Patricia Miller said: "Appoint-

ments will be running as normal but local traffic is expected to be disrupted so patients should make sure they give themselves plenty of time to travel.

"Patients must bring their appointment letter with them on the day as they will need to present this to the car park attendants to park on site."

All patients with appointments on

those days are being written to advise them to allow more time for travelling. Anyone who has queries or concerns should call the phone number on their appointment letter.

Information about the torch relay and travel advice is available on the Dorset County Council website: [www.dorsetforyou.com/sailing2012](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/sailing2012)

## View letter

### Offering hope for democracy?

■ THE important Public Meeting called by Councillor Alistair Chisholm for 7pm on Wednesday July 4th, at the Town Hall Dorchester – on the subject of the KPMG report on the Charles Street offices – offers an opportunity for all to mend bridges.

I have been invited to speak briefly at it, and in re-reading the KPMG report I am struck by two facts.

Firstly the very serious finding that KPMG have rated the Value for Money of this investment achieved by the council at only a '2' out of a possible '4' – this is actually fairly shocking after all the promises made.

But secondly by the scope of the six 'Recommendations for Improvement' that KPMG are looking to see implemented by the council and the fact that at the debrief the ruling party's councillors unanimously accepted these recommendations fully and without question.

Can the two sides involved – the public and the council – find a way to work together to democratise and be seen to be democratising future policy and decision-making?

To all those in West Dorset tired of 'party' politics, who are just interested in decisions being taken not by party whip but on the basis of reason and merit I'd say...do come to the meeting on July 4th to see what KPMG's report says on WDDC's performance on Charles Street, but more importantly to discuss how we can all work to make things work more democratically in the future.

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# Inn opens after eight-month refurbishment

A FORMER Michelin inspector has re-opened a refurbished New Inn at Cerne Abbas.

The New Inn, featured in the Michelin Guide, shut

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for an eight-month refurbishment just six days after it was acclaimed Dorset Dining Pub of the

Year in the Good Pub Guide 2012.

Landlord Jeremy Lee, who also judged the national Landlord of the Year for the Good Pub Guide, has now opened his doors again as he celebrates three years at the helm of the New Inn.

Jeremy said: "We have turned a tired old 16th century coaching inn into a 21st century pub... This is a Grade Two listed building in a conservation area, so all this has been done without changing the integrity of original features like a fireplace."

The work, by Bridport brewers Palmers, has increased the number of bedrooms from six to thirteen and provided more space for eating and drinking, a new kitchen and new toilets.

Head Chef Ben Streak, who was formerly at the Riverside in West Bay, has been cooking in Dorset for nine years. This includes a stint at Summer Lodge in Evershot, and Yalbury Cottage in Lower Bockhampton.



■ JEREMY Lee at the bar of the recently refurbished New Inn, Cerne Abbas

## Students' skills to go on display at show



■ KINGSTON Maurward horticulture students who will be putting their skills to use at the RHS Hampton Court Flower Show

HORTICULTURE students from Kingston Maurward College have been selected to help construct the Badger Beer Garden at the RHS Hampton Court Garden Show.

Four level three horticulture students; Joanna Hardwick, Niall Hawkins, Piers Closier and Joshua Stebbings, have been studying at the college since September, including designing and constructing their own show gardens as part of their course.

They will be working alongside international designers Sim Flemons

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and John Warland, Chelsea Flower Show medallists 2012, to construct a Dorset countryside-inspired garden in conjunction with Hall and Woodhouse Brewery.

Features include a meandering dry stone wall and a beer bottle pathway, mature trees and naturalistic planting.

A further seven students who have been studying at the College for the Royal Horticultural Society Practical Certificate at Kingston Maurward College, will be showcasing their horticultural skills as they move, position, plant and care for over 2000 herbaceous perennials, 1000 wild-flower plants and 80 square meters of meadow turf.

The students are; Jo Milan, Sue Wharton, Lynda Slattery, Sarah Harvey, Matt Dyer, Jane Rushworth and Jane Atkinson.

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# 'Best student' wins Paris trip

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AN all-expenses paid trip to Paris awaits the winner of Kingston Maurward's NFU Agricultural Student of the Year competition.

Carl Hoskin, 18, a second-year student, was picked the overall winner with runners up Matt Cradock, Jenny Diment and James Hibberd receiving trophies from sponsors C and O Tractors.

Carl, studying for his National Diploma in Agriculture said: "I'm thrilled to win the award, I really wasn't expecting it!"

Nineteen students took part in the contest – completing a series of tasks including a 50-question exam, livestock, machinery an estate skills, followed by an interview with a panel of judges including the NFU's Rupert Rees and Robert Lasseter.

NFU Group Secretary Dorchester, Rupert Rees, said: "Congratulations to all of the students and the winner of this incredible award. All students conducted themselves very well – we debated for a very long time as the standard was so high. Everyone should be very proud that they have great careers ahead in agriculture."

Carl's trophy was specially designed and crafted for the Award by Kingston Maurward College blacksmith Simon Grant-Jones and will be passed on to winners for generations.



■ FROM left, Robert Lasseter, NFU; Clare Davison, Kingston Maurward College principal; Tim Stephens, head of agriculture, James Hibberd, Rupert Rees, Carl Hoskin, competition winner; Matthew Holland, C&O; Jenny Diment, runner up; Dave Stickland, C&O; Matt Cradock, runner up; Martin Cartwright, tutor

## Julia's House wins care accolade

THE Dorset charity, Julia's House, has won an accolade at the national Charity Awards 2012 in recognition of its pioneering respite care for life-limited children and their families.

The Healthcare and Medical Research award went to Julia's House for its work in offering frequent respite to families of life-threatened children in their own home and social activities for siblings and parents.

Martin Edwards, chief executive of Julia's House, said: "Families with a very seriously ill child face enormous pressure and exhaustion, caring for their child round the clock often for many years.

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"It's a special service, we are very proud of our nurses and carers who provide it, and I am so pleased that they have been praised with this national honour."

As one father commented about the care he receives: "That simple act of respite can be enough to make it through the day.

"This happens week in, week out and quite often to the end of that child's life; Julia's House supports the whole family throughout those desperate times, year by year."

## New series of lectures

A NEW series of Thomas Hardy public lectures starts this evening, Thursday, June 28th in Dorchester.

Phillip Mallett from the University of St Andrew will be talking about Susan Henchard's writing desk: Thomas Hardy and the Penny Post.

The talk is being given at 7.30pm in the County Museum at 7.30pm, with refreshments available from 6.30pm. Entry costs £3, on the door.

The programme has been organised by the County Museum, the University of Exeter and the National Trust.

## Charity appeal for goods

A CANCER charity is appealing for good quality items for a stall in the Borough Gardens, Dorchester in July.

The Fortuneswell Cancer Trust will be having the stall at the Swinging music event.

Homemade cakes, jams, knitwear, plants and craft items would be especially welcome.

Donations can be made by calling 01305 459584.

## Youngsters' dance club

DORCHESTER Ballet and Dance Club is now taking bookings for its summer courses for youngsters.

Thursday workshops and classes include Dance for Fun for those older than two-years-old from 9.30am until 10am; tap for six to 11-year-olds from 10am to 10.45am; Summer Fun Dance for three to seven-year-olds from 10.45 until 11.15am.

The club is also offering various workshops in contemporary dance, ballet pointe, hip hop and tap.

Further information from 01305 250386 or online at [www.dancedorchester.org](http://www.dancedorchester.org).

## Tabletop sale

CROSSWAYS – Homemade cakes, a tabletop sale and teas and coffees will be available at the Youth Centre on Saturday, June 30th between 10am and noon.

The event is organised by the Crossways Church Café.

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More information can be obtained at [www.first-dorsetcreditunion.co.uk](http://www.first-dorsetcreditunion.co.uk).

## Village fete in garden

**CERNE ABBAS** – the village church fete is being held in the vicarage garden on Saturday, July 7th at 1.30pm.

Children's games, a competition for the prettiest rose, and a number of fete games are planned along with stalls for books, cakes, white elephant, new to you, a tombola and children's bric-a-brac and toys.

Helpers are also needed to set up on the morning and take care of the entry gates where admission will be charged at £1 for adults, children free.

## WIs prepare to party

**DORSET** WIs are preparing to celebrate the organisation's 95th anniversary.

The event will be held at Milton Abbey on Sunday, July 8th with a high tea and entertainment from 3pm to 6pm.

Members have been invited to take part in a craft competition to mark the anniversary with entries invited which can be displayed on a 15 x 15 inch board to be received by July 27th to the county office in Icen Way, Dorchester.

## Drive in memory of dad



■ **A GATHERING** and rally of classic cars was held at the weekend in memory of Dorchester car enthusiast Brian Cook, who died in April. The road run started with coffee at C J Carpentry and Designs premises in Crossways and following a damp start to the day the sun came out and allowed the drivers and their passengers to enjoy a picnic together at Badbury Rings. A total of 64 miles was driven finishing with a cream tea at Pine Lodge Tea Rooms. Brian was a member of several local car club who were represented at the event. His two daughters, Nicky and Joanne, (pictured) drove his treasured MG and at Pine Lodge and thanked everyone for the generous donations and said that Brian would have loved the route and the finish at one of his favourite tea rooms. A total of £112.19 was raised which is being given to Weldmar Hospicecare Trust, which Brian supported. Above, Nicky and Joanne, daughters of the late Brian Cook, in whose memory a classic car run was held at the weekend

## Teaching duo short-listed for a regional award

TWO Dorchester teachers have been short-listed for a regional educational award.

Gary Spracklen, acting assistant headteacher at the Prince of Wales First School and Richard Scott, media development manager at the Thomas Hardy Academy are both in the running for the South West Digital Educator of the Year Award.

It celebrates the very best in teaching and learning using educational technology from across the South West.

Gary Spracklen, who recently collaborated with his pupils and Richard Scott to reach the final of the National Teaching Awards' Film My School competition said both teachers were delighted to have been nominated: "It is an honour for both Richard and myself to be recognised in this way at such a high-level. We place a big emphasis on I.C.T within DASP (Dorchester Area Schools Partnership) and for a long time we have collaborated effectively to ensure outstanding I.C.T provision across the partnership".

The work at the Prince of Wales First School that Gary has been shortlisted for is focused on how he has inspired his colleagues to embrace and apply new technologies to support, engage and develop all pupils including those with severe physical disabilities. Gary's work highlights how new technologies have transformed pupils learning and left a lasting impact in pupils lives.

Meanwhile, the work at the Thomas Hardy Academy that Richard has been shortlisted for is focused on how animation could be used as a motivator and aid to information retention, in students who otherwise are not always highly motivated.

He said: "The animation projects have given us a superb opportunity to observe the students working on potentially difficult concepts. It has been inspirational to see quiet students lead the planning, preparing, filming or editing phases.

The winners will be announced at a ceremony in Plymouth next Tuesday, July 3rd.

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## Clubs to host fun day

**A FUN** Day is being held in Dorchester's Borough Gardens this Saturday – organised by the town's two Rotary clubs.

The TGI Fun Day event, with sideshows and activities, will offer fun for all the family with live music from the bandstand.

Also planned during the afternoon is a hog roast, classic vehicles on displays and traditional games.

A grand prize draw offers the chance to win the use of a Mercedes sports car for the weekend.

Activities start at 1230 and will continue until about 5pm.

## Last chance viewing

**TODAY** is the last chance to see a Royal exhibition at The Dorset History Centre in Dorchester.

The exhibition looks at the first modern jubilee celebration for King George III to the Diamond Jubilee celebrations this summer.

Visitors can view rarely seen photos, documents and objects which celebrate the history of the royal celebrations in Dorset.

Running alongside the physical exhibition is an online service to record memories of Jubilee celebrations in Dorset which will become part of the permanent collection at Dorset History Centre.

Visit [www.dhcjubilee.wordpress.com](http://www.dhcjubilee.wordpress.com).

## Planting sunflowers

**THE** Weldmar Hospice has launched a Sunflower Memories Appeal.

The charity is offering wooden sunflowers onto which the name of a loved one can be written in return for a donation. The sunflowers will be hand-written and planted in the Hospice grounds for the month of July.

Also planned is a special service to be held on Thursday, July 26th at 6.30pm in the gardens at Joseph Weld Hospice, conducted by Weldmar's Chaplain, The Reverend Sally Bedborough, in memory of all those for whom a sunflower has been dedicated.

For further information call 01305 261800.



## Wolf man, Shaun, is star attraction at open day

TV wolf man Shaun Ellis and Kingston Maurward College principal Clare Davison

SUMMER arrived just in time for this year's Kingston Maurward College Open Day and Country Fair.

The sun shone on the dog shows, owl and reptile displays, kayaking on the lake, Jazz on the terrace and those picnicking on the lawn.

Record numbers flocked through the gates for fun events and activities with crowds of people gathering to

see star attraction Shaun Ellis and his wolves.

New students starting in September visited their academy areas and met tutors and attending an address by Principal Clare Davison in the Learning Resources Centre.

Family attractions included a miniature gauge train, tractor and trailer rides and Kingston Maur-

ward's very own ferret racing which was a hit with both young and old alike.

Principal Clare Davison said: "It was a complete and absolute success for the College, the traders and the public. The atmosphere was almost tangible; we all had a truly wonderful day!"

## A free, hour-long, laughter workshop

**AN** hour-long Laughter Workshop is being held in Dorchester's Borough Gardens on Friday, June 29th.

The event, which starts at 1pm, will raise awareness of Supported Housing as part of the National Housing Federation's Support Matters month. It will be run by Jo Keane, Project Worker.

The event is free, although the organisers would appreciate a small donation to West Dorset Women's Refuge.

## Church's spring clean

**WEST STAFFORD** – A working party will be giving the church a spring clean on Saturday, June 30th.

Volunteers are needed to help with essential maintenance work, both inside and out St Andrew's Church. Tasks include clearing weeds and debris from the drains and gullies. Starting at 9.30am, refreshments will be provided.

## Band seeks members

**DORCHESTER** Wind Band is encouraging new members, whatever their ability, to join in.

The group rehearses on Thursday evenings at Sunninghill Preparatory School in South Walks.

Founder Geoff Miller said the group is looking for all instruments, especially brass and lower brass players. He can be contacted on 01305 259115.

## Go-ahead for changes

**PUDDLETOWN** – Planners have approved a new First School for the village after changes to the road layout.

The 150-place school with space for 26 pre-school children, will be built just west of the Middle School. The current school has the majority of its pupils based in 'temporary' classrooms.

Building work should be completed by autumn next year.



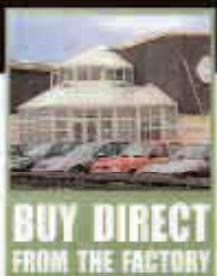
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## Around 700 musicians to perform at concert

**YOUNG** musicians from across the Dorchester area will be performing to around 700 people at Thomas Hardy's school this weekend.

The event will take place in a marquee on the school field on Saturday, June 30th.

Players from the Dorchester Area School Partnership, made up of 13 schools, will present an evening of music which will involve an Olympic theme.

The event will also include the presentation of the Partnership Citizens Awards.

Tickets for the event are available by calling Dorchester 259721 or emailing music@dasp.org.uk.

## Drama group chooses Twelfth Night

**DORCHESTER** Drama has chosen Shakespeare's Twelfth Night for its summer production.

The play will be staged at the Sunninghill School in Culliford Road between Thursday 19th and Saturday 21st July.

Tickets are on sale now from Trinity's Treats in Trinity Street, or by calling 01305 257694 and cost £8 in advance, £5 for under 18s.

A licensed bar will be available on the evening of performances.

## Village hall play

**FRAMPTON** - Bristol Old Vic School presents Cold Comfort Farm at the village hall on Saturday, June 30th.

Starting at 7.30pm the Artsreach production is prices at £9 for adults, £7.50 for under 18s. Tickets are available from Frampton and Long Cross Garages or by calling 07968 586906.

# Rangers planning more than 30 events for the Earth festival



■ BBC stills photographer Ben Osborne at the Lulworth Fossil Forest

by Trevor Bevins  
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MORE than 30 events are being planned by rangers for the Lulworth Earth Festival between now and September.

With funding from the Lulworth Estate and a Heritage Lottery Fund grant many will be free.

One highlight of the programme is a day workshop with Planet Earth's Ben Osborne. The Jurassic coast and its landforms will be used by him to demonstrate and practice some of the techniques used by this award winning BBC Natural History photographer.

Stone carving, and the chance to research, design and carve an individual piece in Jurassic stone is also expected to be a popular event. Others include guided Kayak trips to discover the coast, its caves and caverns.

"The Earth Festival allowed us to think creatively about how to celebrate our coast in entertaining and enlightening ways. Photography, carving, art, kayaking or simply by looking at things through the eyes of the friendly experts," said Maddy Phaff, Head of the Lulworth Rangers.

The full programme of Lulworth Earth Festival events can be viewed on [www.lulworth.com](http://www.lulworth.com).

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## Access group meeting

THE annual meeting of the Access for All Group will be held in Dorchester's Magistrates Room at the Corn Exchange today, June 28th.

The group was set up to improve access to services, both public and commercial within the town of Dorchester and the surrounding area.

The meeting will be held at 2.30pm and is open to anyone.

The group currently has concerns about of advertising boards in the town; access to Dorchester West Station and the layout of Queen Mother Square, Poundbury.

If you would like to be a member, please contact the Secretary at 19 Shaston Crescent, Dorchester, Dorset DT1 2EB - 01305 263759 (answerphone) for an application form.

## Jubilee dinner

A BLACKTIE gala dinner is being held this weekend by the Dorchester Chamber of Commerce to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee.

The event will be held at Kingston Maurward College on Saturday, June 30th.

It will start with a Pimms reception on the terrace overlooking the lakes and gardens. This will be followed by a three course dinner using local produce.

There is also a raffle planned with all proceeds going to the Weldmar Trust.

Tickets are £30 each for members, £35 for non-members, with discounts for tables of eight. To book either email the Dorchester Chamber secretary [secretary@dorchesterchamber.co.uk](mailto:secretary@dorchesterchamber.co.uk) or call Kenneth Addison on 01305 250808.

## Youth theatre play

DORCHESTER Youth Theatre will be performing "Bully" at the Corn Exchange this evening, June 28th and on Friday.

The production, by the juniors group, starts at 7pm.

In August the group will undertake their annual production in a week as part of the 'Combined Arts Week'.

# March past to honour armed forces

by Trevor Bevin

HUNDREDS are expected to take part in a Dorchester event to honour the country's armed forces – past and present.

Mayor Andy Canning will take the salute as a parade marches through the town centre on Saturday, July 7th.

This will be followed by a civic service and band concert in the Borough Gardens, followed by the presentation of veterans' badges.

badges.

The parade, which started at 1.15pm, will march from North Square, down Cornhill and South Street, across to Trinity Street and, via Bowling Alley Walk

and West Walks Road and the Borough Gardens via the north entrance.

The salute will be taken outside Barclays Bank in South Street.

Music during the afternoon will come from the Wessex Military Band, Dorchester Big Band and the Durnovaria Silver Band with those taking part invited to bring their own picnic or make use of the

Borough Gardens Café and a beer tent which is being set up for the event.

Stalls and Services displays will continue throughout the afternoon, including stalls from ex-service charities, the Royal British Legion, SSAFA, Cancer Charities, WW11 vehicles, and service men, women and veterans who will be available to answer any questions.

## Local author researches effects of Great War



■ AUTHOR Brian Bates with his assistant researchers' grandsons Jacob and George

A GLIMPSE of life in Edwardian Dorchester is offered in a new book being launched this weekend.

"Dorchester Remembers the Great War" is the result of hundreds of hours of research by local author Brian Bates.

The launch will take place at The Keep Museum with Brian making another appearance with his book and displays at the Veterans and Armed Forces event in the Borough Gardens on Saturday, July 7th.

Mr Bates has spent years researching the book, piecing together the stories behind the names on war memorials and in the process discovering much about Dorchester at the time.

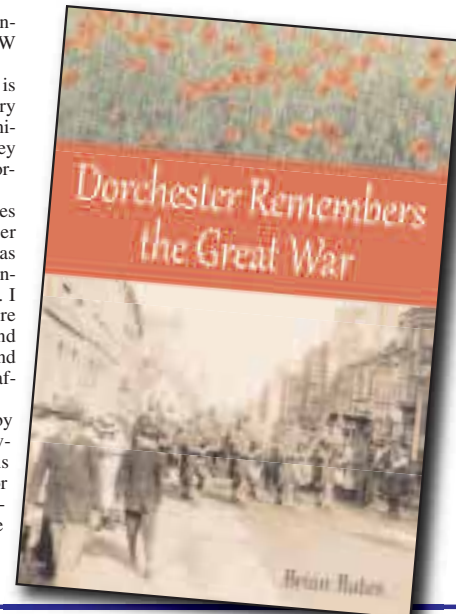
He has discovered that there was a huge military

presence in the town, including a German POW camp.

"For me, real history is the story of the ordinary person and their communities, especially when they find themselves in extraordinary times.

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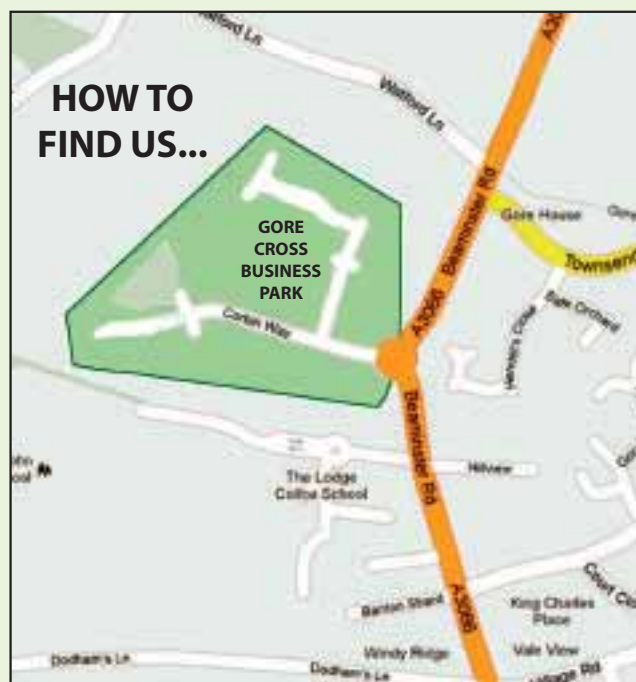


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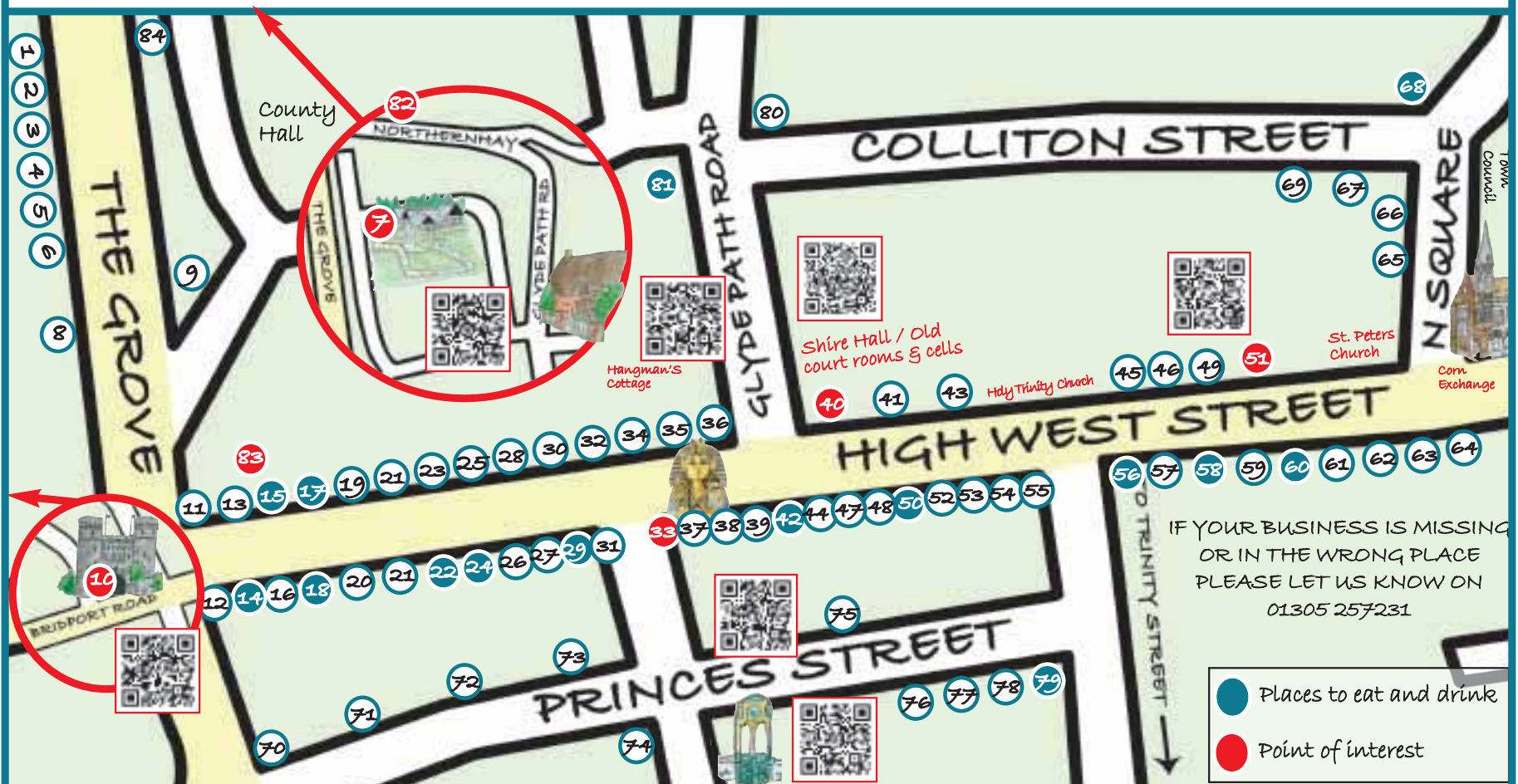


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# View 2

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**Madness' main man Suggs  
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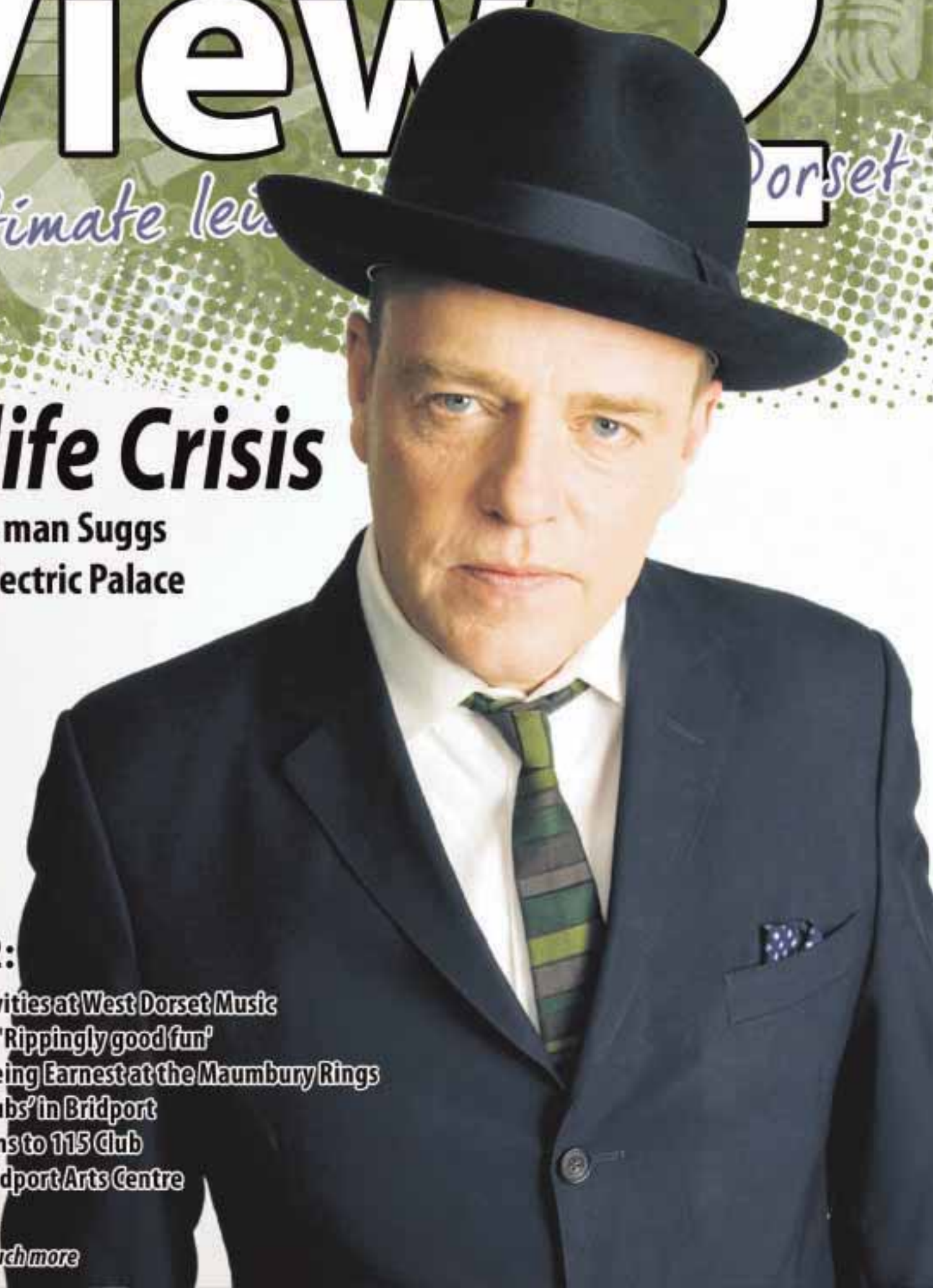
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# Fitzrovia Radio Hour 'Rippingly good fun'

RECREATING the unique spirit of 1940s radio plays and brilliantly evoking a dinner-jacketed age of casual imperialism and stiff upper lips, The Fitzrovia Radio Hour's brand new show comes to Dorchester Arts Centre on Friday June 22 fresh from three critically-acclaimed London residencies, and two sell-out years at the Edinburgh Fringe.

Performed with cut-glass theatricality blending homage and satire, Fitzrovia mixes the attitudes of 1940s Britain with sharp contemporary humour to produce a heady comic cocktail. Throughout the plays, sound effects are created live: a Bakelite hairdryer imitates a heating torch, a desk fan becomes an aeroplane, and multiple types of

cabbage help to stage a fight scene. Rippingly good fun!

"Absolutely spiffing show that recreates the innocent, clipped, Bulldog Drummond spirit of Forties live radio drama, with a skilled company stepping up to their retro mics to unfold ripping yarns. A Joy."

\*\*\*\* *Daily Telegraph*  
"Dramatic entertainment redolent of a by-gone era. Jolly good show, chaps!"

*The Guardian*  
"Both evokes and satirises a long-gone era. Smart gags and smart clothes too."

*Evening Standard - Critic's Choice*  
The show comes to Dorchester Arts Centre Friday June 22nd 7.30pm (doors and bar 7pm) £10/£9 members/£8 concessions.

Tickets are also available from Dorchester Arts Centre (01305 266926) and Dorchester Tourist Information Centre (01305 267992)

# Axemen's First Music and Bike Show

THE Axemen bike club to present their first music and bike show on Friday 29th and Saturday, June 30th.

The two day event is to be held at The Five Bells Inn, (Higher Street, Whitchurch Canonico-rum, Nr Charmouth, DT6 6RH).

Friday 29th is warm up night with music from 8pm to include the band *Snatch Tractor* and a rock disco. The Bike show will be held on Saturday 30th, with seven live bands: *Wise Intentions*, *Indynamics*, *Chasing Cadence*, *Bare Bones*, *Last Man in Europe*, *Adam Sweet*, and *Reckless Princess & Band*.

There will be a hog roast, BBQ, bouncy castle, camp fire and pub breakfasts. Entry is by donation and camping is available for Friday and Saturday nights at £2 per person per night. Families are welcome. Dogs are allowed but must be kept on a lead at all times.

For more information please contact Matt on 07799 175 006, Paul on 07811 694 888 or for trade enquiries contact Gary on 07599 738 543.

A donation from any profit will be made to The Freewheelers, the NHS approved out of hour's emergency response courier service.



FIRST MUSIC AND BIKE SHOW | The Axemen

# Funniest play ever written? be a shame to miss it

CORNWALL'S Miracle Theatre's productions are one of the highlights of the summer! Their witty and inventive performances take place against the extraordinary backdrops of our unique landscape.

On Saturday July 14th Miracle make a welcome return to Dorchester's

Maumbury Rings with a wonderful new interpretation of Oscar Wilde's classic comedy - *The Importance of Being Earnest*.

Set in the year 1912, with the Titanic sinking, mass production just beginning on the Morris Oxford and the Turkey Trot causing outrage across the dance floors of polite society, this tale of the strange contents of a handbag found at Victoria station has been subtly adapted to extract every drip of humour and contemporary relevance.

This 'trivial comedy for serious people' is a masterpiece of sharp wit and preposterous plotting. In this high energy production Miracle adds an extra dimension to 'the funniest play ever written'.

Bring a picnic and enjoy great open-air theatre. Hot chocolate, teas and cakes from 6.30pm.

The play starts from 7.30pm at Dorchester Maumbury Rings. Tickets £11/£9 members/£30 family/£6 under 18s and concessions.

[www.miracletheatre.co.uk](http://www.miracletheatre.co.uk)



## Binocular and Telescope Demonstration Days at RSPB Radipole Lake, Weymouth Weekends of 14/15th & 21/22nd July 10am—4pm



Are you looking for a new pair of binoculars or a new telescope?

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## Punk legends in Bridport

THE U.K.Subs are unique amongst the original wave of punk bands that emerged circa 1976/77 in that they have continued to gig every year ever since, clocking up thousands of shows. They maintain and pioneer the true spirit of punk rock, without the compromise and watering-down that has affected so many of their contemporaries.

Led by the now legendary Charlie Harper, this incredible front man continues to amaze with his indefatigable lust for life, music and the live circuit.

With the band continuing to blaze their unique trail all over the world into their fifth decade, 2011 saw the band release their critically acclaimed 'W' album, WORK IN PROGRESS, as they near their quest to be the first band to release their

official albums alphabetically A to Z.

The band's early success of seven consecutive UK Top 40 hits between 1979-81 was testament to their popularity amongst the punk scene then, and with there never having been any division of fan and band, their continued popularity ensured listeners of Steve Lamacq's BBC 6music show voted them 'Punk World Cup winners 2010'.

Watch the UK Subs live at the Electric Palace on Friday 13th July. Tickets are on sale now for £10 from Bridport Tourist Information Centre on 01308 424901 / £12 on door. For more details see [www.electricepalace.org.uk](http://www.electricepalace.org.uk)



## Plans to expand activities at West Dorset Music

MUSIC in West Dorset this year has been significantly enhanced by the arrival of music co-operative Strawberry Music who have worked in partnership with West Dorset Music to keep the Centre alive.

Now simply called 'West Dorset Music' the centre presently provides a fortnightly music experience for young and adult players of orchestral instruments in the local community. This year's meetings will culminate in a performance to friends and relatives on Wednesday, July 11th at 7.00pm at The Christian Fellowship Hall in East St, Bridport.

In September the centre will expand to include string and wind training groups along with group and individual instrumental tuition. Weekly rehearsals will be held for all groups on Wednesdays.

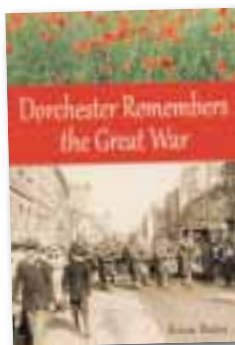
In order to register interest for the new groups and answer queries on tuition Strawberry Music will be hosting an information evening at The Christian Fellowship Hall in East St,

Bridport on Wednesday, September 12th from 6.30 – 7.30pm. Instruments will be demonstrated and there will be the possibility to try a small selection. It is hoped that pupils will feed into the training groups and the main orchestra when appropriate. Charges will be kept as low as possible but, at present, the centre receives no external financial support. Weekly rehearsals for all groups will start with a free taster session for all players the following week on Wednesday, September 19th at the same venue.

During June and July teachers from Strawberry Music will be visiting schools in West Dorset to demonstrate instruments and raise awareness of the new opportunities available for community music making at West Dorset Music from September. The plan is to create a high quality musical experience for all members. More information including rehearsal times will be available on the Strawberry Music website at [www.strawberry-music.com](http://www.strawberry-music.com)



## Dorchester Remembers



BRIAN Bates has completed his mission. His fascination in the part Dorchester played during the Great War and the names on the town's war memorials has led to years of research, piecing together the stories behind those names.

The result is a recently published book Dorchester Remembers the Great War. In it he presents a vivid picture of Edwardian Dorchester, through the men and one woman who lost their lives in the First World War – a timely reminder for Armed Forces Day. According to Brian there was a huge military presence in the town, including a German POW camp.

Brian and his wife Doreen have lived in Dorchester for 41 years and his enthusiasm and humour, despite the poignant subject, make him a popular local figure. His account of the impact of the War on the local community is an enjoyable trip into the past, particularly for those who love our county town. The War Diaries, letters and family epitaphs are especially touching.

'For me, real history is the story of the ordinary person and their communities, especially when they find themselves in extraordinary times. Most of the 98 images in the book have never been published before, as they were sourced from individual family archives. I really wanted to capture each personal story, and show how the families and town were together affected.'

Brian and his book are part of the attractions of Maiden Newton at War this weekend. The book is also being launched at The Keep on Saturday 30 June 5-7 pm. Enjoy free entrance to the Museum, while chatting with Brian who will be signing books.

The following weekend (7 July) sees Brian once again with his display, in the Borough Gardens as part of the Veterans and Armed Forces Day celebrations.

Published by Roving Press (01305 321531, [www.rovingpress.co.uk](http://www.rovingpress.co.uk)), this 288-page book is priced £12.99. Author royalties are being donated to charities Sense and Sightsavers.



▲ Brian with his assistant researchers grandsons Jacob and George.



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### Sunflower Memories Appeal 2012

Weldmar invites everyone to remember a loved one throughout July with their **Sunflower Memory Appeal**.

Wooden sunflower sticks will be hand written and planted in the gardens at Joseph Weld Hospice.

A special service of remembrance will be held on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> July at 6.30pm at the Hospice.

To dedicate a sunflower visit our Website: [www.weld-hospice.org.uk/sunflowers](http://www.weld-hospice.org.uk/sunflowers) or call 01305 261800 for a leaflet or to donate by credit/debit card.



## View 2 Diary Dates

THURSDAY JUNE 28<sup>TH</sup>

**DORCHESTER:** Dorset County Museum, the University of Exeter and the National Trust are pleased to present the 2012 Thomas Hardy Public Lecture Series.

Join us for a season of informative and entertaining lectures on Thomas Hardy at Dorset County Museum. The series kicks off on 28th June with the inaugural lecture, delivered by Phillip Mallett, from the University of St Andrews. His title will be Susan Henchard's writing-desk: Thomas Hardy and the Penny Post. Dorset County Museum, High West St, Dorchester. 7.30pm, refreshments from 6.30pm. Tickets £3, available on the door.

SATURDAY JUNE 30<sup>TH</sup>

**WEYMOUTH:** Swannery Court residents Table Top Sale from 10am-12noon. Entrance via the back gate, behind the Palm House and Gurkha Restaurant. In aid of Special Baby Unit. 20p entrance fee.

SUNDAY JULY 1<sup>ST</sup>

**CHARLTON DOWN, DORCHESTER:** Summer fayre - family fun for everyone. At Chestnut House Nursin Home, Charlton Down, Dorchester DT2 9FN. 2-6pm. Refreshments, activities, stalls, sideshows and entertainment.

SUNDAY JULY 8<sup>TH</sup>

**WEYMOUTH:** Workshop '...an hop about like Fleas!' led by Dorset folk artists Tim Laycock and Colin Thompson. Open to musicians aged 12-25 who play portable acoustic instruments. At Old Town Hall from 10am-12.30pm.

**LYME REGIS:** Organ recital at St Michael's Parish Church, Lyme Regis: Anthony Gritten, Professor of Organ, Royal Academy of Music, international recitalist and teacher. Retiring collection, cream tea available. Tel 01297 445709.

SATURDAY JULY 14<sup>TH</sup>

**DORCHESTER:** Workshop '...an hop about like Fleas!' led by Dorset folk artists Tim Laycock and Colin Thompson. Open to musicians aged 12-25 who play portable acoustic instruments. At Scout Hall from 10am-12.30pm.

FRIDAY JULY 20<sup>TH</sup>

**BROADMAYNE:** Market at St Martin's Community Hall from 2-3.30pm. Raffle, craft, plants, books, Jigsaws Cards, Local Sausages, Lamb & eggs, Local watercress, Local fruit and Vegetables, cakes and preserves and a chance to sit and chat with a cup of tea or coffee. All proceeds for St Martin's Community Hall. For further information please contact Eleanor Piper 01305 853765.

Email your Diary Dates to [rob@pemedial.co.uk](mailto:rob@pemedial.co.uk)  
Deadline midday Monday



# Suggs' mad-life crisis



ONE STEP BEYOND | Suggs

STRAIGHT from the roof of Buckingham Palace to raising the roof at the Electric Palace comes the one and only Suggs. On Thursday, July 19th you have to opportunity to get up close and personal with the Madness frontman on an emotional rollercoaster that's part music and part personal vision, part music hall extravaganza.

Suggs was 50 in January. The concept for this show came about when he was lying in the bath, on his birthday, nursing an epic hangover from the celebrations the night before. There was the most almighty crash, he jumped out of the water and there, lying amid shards of broken glass, was his cat, now extinct.

'I was 50. My kids had recently left home and now the cat was dead. I was really upset. It triggered a deluge of emotion, an event that somehow tipped me over the edge. I began to consider my own mortality and, out of that, the idea for exploring my own past somehow crystallised. And so the show was born.

Join him in the front seat on a unique journey through the ups and downs of an astonishing thirty-year career spanning pop music, radio, television, film and the meat processing industry. Witness Suggs cannon ball to the heights of pop success, stumble and plummet down through the trap-door of failure and then trampoline back up to catch the passing trapeze of showbusiness success. A hilarious (and sometimes sad) story of a life he can still not quite believe is happening. With musical accompaniment and uncalled for interjection from Deano, his loyal manservant-cum-pianist.

Suggs has natural comic timing and tells his story with wit and grace in this hugely enjoyable evening. Doors open for Suggs at 6.30pm on Thursday 19th July with the show starting at 7.3pm. Tickets £24.50 plus bf are available from Bridport Tourist Information Centre on 01308 424901 or online from [www.seetickets.com](http://www.seetickets.com). You'd have to be mad to miss this amazing opportunity so book your tickets now, before they sell out!



◆ Andre King



◆ John Robins



◆ Neil Cole

## THREE TOP COMEDIANS FOR CHARITY FUNDRAISER

BRIDPORT student Nidhi Rao is hosting a charity comedy night on the July 5th to raise money to travel to Sri Lanka to assist with vital charity work. Nidhi will be working in a small village school.

The comedy night has a brilliant line up of three top UK comedians; John Robins, Neil Cole and Andre King

Starting as a stand-up in spring 2005, John Robins reached the semi-final of 'So You Think You're Funny' in Edinburgh that same year. In 2007 he appeared in the prestigious Comedy Zone showcase at The Edinburgh Festival to rave reviews.

In 2008 John teamed up with another Riviera Comedy act to perform in Carl Donnelly VS John Robins VS Predator which received similar acclaim, as did his 2009 solo show, Skinny Love. This was awarded 'Best Debut Show' at the Leicester Comedy Festival Awards.

John has quickly made his name as one of the most quick-witted, engaging comedians on the circuit. Always willing to expect the unexpected, he guarantees a great show for audiences and acts alike. It a mix of ingenious stories, good banter, and the occasional comedic big explosion!

Second on the bill is Neil Cole. With an acclaimed background in standup

comedy and sketches including The Pros >From Dover, Neil Cole has more recently been busying supporting Russell Brand on his comedy tour, MC-ing live music events at the Royal Albert Hall and debuting his solo show at all the major comedy clubs around the country. Industry comedy giants called described Cole's set as "inspired hilarity from an adept pro"

Completing the evening's lineup is native New-Zealander Andre King who was awarded Best Comedy Performance on New Zealand Television and a nomination for most offensive gag... so beware those with delicate ears....

Talking about her forthcoming project Nidhi said "I am really looking forward to it as not only will it be extremely fun, but I will be improving the lives of the students by making small adjustment to the school, which I'm sure will be enormously rewarding".

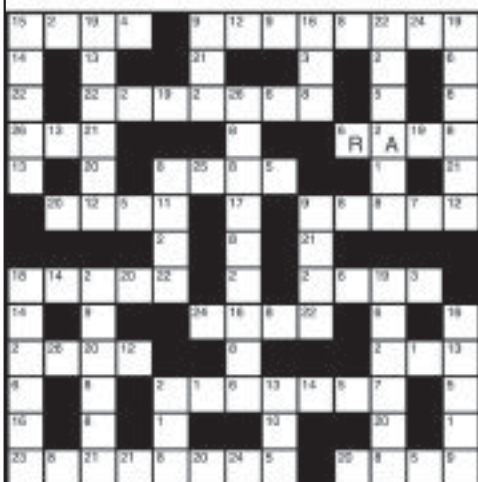
Please support Nidhi with not only an adventurous charity mission but also an ambitious fund raising scheme! Tickets are buy one get one free - £8+bf in advance or £10 on the door. Tickets available from Bridport Tourist Information Centre on 01308 424901 or online at [SeeTickets.com](http://SeeTickets.com). Doors open 7.30pm, starts 8.00pm.

## Brain Gym

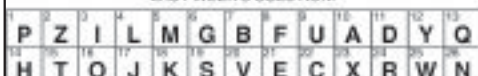
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### Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



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### Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

#### Cryptic Clues:

##### Across

1. They may go from one side to the other (9)
8. A somewhat mysterious sea-port (3)
9. Don't let the others inherit - I'll see to it! (5,2,2,2)
11. Transform it I can't - it's so big! (7)
12. Catch the girl with a ring (5)
13. The doctor got up looking gloomy (6)
15. Assumes as one's own? (8)
17. It is in the box (5)
18. Grooms - Indian fashion? (7)
20. Bad mixers (3,3,5)
22. She's not allowed in bed! (3)
23. A minuscule craft (9)

##### Down

2. You have one week in which to find the animal (3)
3. New - to ocean travel? (5)
4. Disconnect the cad perhaps (6)
5. Oil ran about and caused damage (7)
6. Peer at a sign put around in the actor's dressing room (11)
7. They come out of their shells when born but can go back in them when disturbed (9)
10. Head tailors may make them, of course (11)
11. When it is, the creditor may not allow it! (4,2,3)
14. Shot at you, as peas might be (7)
16. They're just part of the act (6)
19. He has to exert some pull to make headway (5)
21. As before, it's used in poetry (3)

#### Quick Clues:

##### Across

1. Agreement (9)
8. In the past (3)
9. Subterranean (11)
11. Wise (7)
12. Muse of lyric poetry (5)
13. Globe (6)
15. Account book (6)
17. Deathly pale (5)
18. Save (7)
20. Lecture (7,4)
22. Ovary (5)
23. N. Sea-Baltic waterway (4,5)

##### Down

2. Possess (3)
3. Weird (5)
4. Elf (6)
5. Compress (7)
6. Swear words (3,8)
7. Assembly (9)
10. Anti-submarine bomb (5,6)
11. Kept up (9)
14. Plunder (7)
16. Strive for high things (6)
19. Reasoning (5)
21. Health resort (3)



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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS:

CRYPTIC - Across: 7 Really; 8 Ironed; 10 Magnolia; 11 Villa; 12 Urns; 13 Peas; 17 Chill; 18 Peri; 22 Ruler; 23 Scoring; 24 Equate; 25 Reverses. Down: 1 Grampus; 2 Hanging; 3 Elder; 4 Gravity; 5 Knelt; 6 Ideas; 9 Total loss; 14 Chorale; 15 Decoder; 16 Singlet; 19 Cried; 20 Flour; 21 Novel. QUICK - Across: 7 Equine; 8 Soldier; 10 Umbrae; 11 Feller; 12 Sole; 13 Quest; 17 Guide; 18 Jeer; 22 Anger; 23 Newness; 24 Tender; 25 Action. Down: 1 Request; 2 Quibble; 3 Sneak; 4 Confess; 5 Whiter; 6 Brief; 9 Redundant; 14 Quarrel; 15 Demerit; 16 Present; 19 Earth; 20 Agony; 21 Twice.

### Sudoku

Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

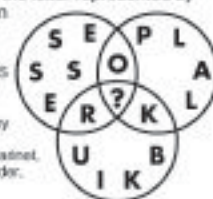


## Circlegram

Replace the question mark with a letter so that the letters within each circle can be arranged to form words on a common theme. What are the three words, and the letter represented by the question mark?

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

The letter represented by the question mark is C. Clarinet, piccolo, recorder, all woodwind instruments.



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## Barbara J Hunt to return to 115 Club



THE 115 Club have managed to secure for their next week showcase, the eclectic Barbara J Hunt. Perfect vocals accompanied by magical guitar licks, Barbara, with haunting vocals performs soulful tracks, such as "King of my Heart" that she performed in the British Film "Confetti", and as an accomplished songwriter; tracks like "Love never dies" from the film "Killing Bono". Clearly Barbara's voice is equal in quality to one of her most inspirational individuals, Joni Mitchell.

When Barbara last performed at 115 Club to a packed house, they applauded with huge appreciation, enjoying every moment of her style and performance. Barbara is a stunning musician, offering soul, folk & a little jazz, with her beautiful vocals lighting up the subtle illumination

of the 115 Clubs cellar environment. At 115 Club the aim is to give an atmosphere of style, with a tantalising menu, prepared by Chef Roger Smith, a fabulous selection of Wines, all available by the glass, (try all of them if you dare, there is almost 40 to choose from!) followed by professional music of only the highest standards.

115 Club always ensures a wonderful evening is had by all. The intimacy of this cosy cellar setting guarantees the mood is set for an exclusive evening of entertainment.

For more information check out the 115 Club's own site at [www.115club.com](http://www.115club.com) or [www.facebook.com/115club](http://www.facebook.com/115club) or Youtube "115club" for video montages of previous gigs including B.J.Hunt.

## Win The Hunger Games goodies with Bridport Arts Centre!

NEXT Thursday *The Hunger Games* will hit the big screen at Bridport Arts Centre. The Arts Centre have a huge contest lined up for fans of the adaptation of Suzanne Collins' novel. The Grand prize winner will take home a Quad poster, an iconic mocking jay pin, keyring, t-shirt, bag and notebook!

To enter simply answer the following question: **Which Hunger Games does Katniss first enter?**

Please email your answer to [marketing@bridport-arts.com](mailto:marketing@bridport-arts.com) by Thursday, July 5th. Everyone who buys a ticket to watch *The Hunger Games* at Bridport Arts Centre will automatically be entered into the competition.

The hugely popular film starring Jennifer Lawrence and Donald Sutherland will be screened at Bridport Arts Centre on Thursday, June 28th at 1.30pm and 7.30pm; on Thursday,

July 5th at 7.30pm; and on Sunday, July 8th at 7.30pm. Tickets £6/ £5 members and concessions, available from the box office on 01308 424204.



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<p><b>England</b></p> <h3>5 days in Blackpool</h3> <p>Depart 15/10/12 Returns 19/10/12</p> <p><b>ILLUMINATIONS</b></p> <p>Your break will begin by travelling north and staying four nights at the Carousel Hotel.</p> <p><b>The tour will be visiting:</b> Skipton (Canal Boat Trip) Hawes, Settle, Watershed Mill, leisure day in Blackpool</p> <p>Price per person <b>£229</b></p> <p><small>Limited number of non supplement rooms All inclusive</small></p>	<p><b>Ilfracombe</b></p> <h3>5 days in Ilfracombe</h3> <p><b>Turkey &amp; Tinsel</b> Depart 26/11/12 Returns 30/11/12</p> <p>Your break will begin by travelling to Ilfracombe and staying 4 nights at the Imperial Hotel. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast and two lunches are included in the price</p> <p><b>The tour will be visiting:</b> Bideford Barnstaple Coombe Martin Lynton &amp; Lynmouth</p> <p>Price per person <b>£199</b></p> <p><small>Admission charges may apply Limited number of non supplement rooms</small></p>	<p><b>Ilfracombe</b></p> <h3>5 days in Abington by Biggar - Lanarkshire</h3> <p><b>Turkey &amp; Tinsel</b> Depart 03/12/12 Returns 07/12/12</p> <p>Your break will begin by travelling north and staying 4 nights at the Abington Hotel. Dinner, Bed &amp; Breakfast are included in the price.</p> <p><b>The tour will be visiting:</b> German Christmas Market in Edinburgh, Falkirk Wheel, Moffat, New Lanark Woolen Mills</p> <p>Price per person <b>£259</b></p> <p><small>Admission charges may apply Limited number of non supplement rooms</small></p>		

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Sat & Sun: 12.00, 14.20, 16.40

Men In Black 3 <sup>PG</sup>

Sat & Sun: 12.45, 15.05

Rock Of Ages <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 17.00, 20.00

Storage 24 <sup>15</sup>

Daily: 18.50, 21.00

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Sun: 11.00, 13.45, 14.20, 18.55, 21.20

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Wed & Thurs: 14.50 Plus Sat & Sun:

20.45

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The Pact <sup>15</sup> Wed & Thurs: 18.30

Fri & Mon: 20.45

Top Cat: The Movie in 2D <sup>U</sup>

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The location, tucked away at the far end of a private roadway, is one of the finest in Beer with spectacular views taking in the beach and the unspoilt Devon/Dorset coast as far as Portland. There is also a far reaching outlook across the village.

The property is situated just a few minutes walk from the beach and the centre of Beer—a quaint and much sought-after old fishing village with a selection of shops, primary school, and is in the catchment area for the renowned Colyton Grammar School, parish church, village hall, doctor's surgery etc. It has a thriving local community and an extensive beach in a sheltered cove which provides a base for a number of working fishing boats and an excel-

lent sailing club. From the rear of Upalong is a pedestrian gate to a public footpath which leads to Common Lane (which leads down to the village and beach) and upward via the South West coastal path to the delightful cliff top walk to Branscombe a National Trust village, with its famous Inn, the Mason Arms.

The accommodation comprises of: hall, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, utility room, three bedrooms, bathroom and a separate WC.

From the roadway a concreted pathway leads up through the front garden to the bungalow. Greenhouse. Adjacent to the front and side of the property is an extensive paved and decked area which take in the views. The front garden is fairly steep and is laid mainly to lawn and to the rear is a further small garden area including a vegetable area. From the rear there is a pedestrian gate to a footpath which leads to Common Hill which is just a short walk up to the cliff top and down to Beer beach and the village centre.

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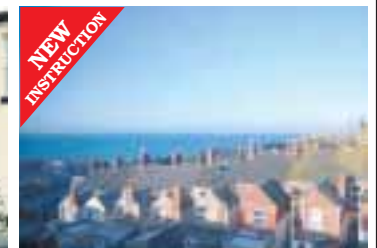
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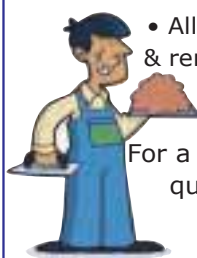
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**MILLIONS** more Britons will take a summer holiday this year to get away from the miserable weather, sports overload and a second year without one, new figures suggest.

And it could provide a welcome boost to the nation's hard hit holiday industry who are struggling to fill spaces on planes and rooms in hotels.

Last year more than one in four (26 per cent) chose not to go away during the summer, hoping for a bit of sun at home instead and to save cash.

But this year that figure has fallen to just one in five (21 per cent) said the survey by satnav firm TomTom.

And many more are jetting off during June and July this year, suggesting the reason may be to avoid the big national occasions.

Almost as many (21 per cent) are taking their holidays in June and July as August (22 per cent) said the poll.

But last year only 17 per cent went away in June, 18 per cent in July while August was easily the most popular month with 24 per cent, TomTom's figures reveal.

It marks a change in attitude among cash-strapped Britons with almost a third (31 per cent) looking for sunshine and 42 per cent who say they just want to 'relax'.

And only 22 per cent have chosen the cheapest option for their break, suggesting the end of the big 'staycation' revolution and a return to sun, sea and sand abroad.

Spain, including Majorca and the other islands, remains the most popular single destination

tion and the Euro crisis has not put people off going to other sunspots on the continent.

Almost seven in ten (69 per cent) admit their summer holiday is 'important' to them.

If money were no object, 38 per cent of all UK adults would go to a tropical paradise island and 14 per cent would choose a cruise.

TomTom's research also found almost one in five (18 per cent) will be renting a car on their holidays, although only a third (34 per cent) claim never to have got lost.

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DORCHESTER have never lost three games on the trot in the Premier League, and never looked like they would after reducing Stalbridge to 26-6, with James Dunham their star bowler with 5-25 from his seven overs; his first 'fifer' in the senior team.

With Dunham swinging the ball a long way, Stalbridge struggled to 20 without loss before the 19-year-old struck three times along with Dan Belt (2-51), as four wickets fell without any addition to the scoreboard. Dunham then claimed Hedges (4) and Lewis (0) leaving Stalbridge punch drunk on 26-6.

However Sullivan (21) held his ground, and with Dunham having to be withdrawn from the attack after seven overs in line with ECB rules, he and Jon Fryer looked to rebuild the situation with a stand of 55 for the seventh wicket. Andy Dyke then joined Fryer and contributed 21 before both fell to Rob Waite (2-28) as the visitors eventually reached 130 all out.

Dorchester did not have it all their own way in reply with the experienced ex-Dorset opening bowler Steve Forshaw (4-26 from ten overs) ripping out the top four Dorchester batsmen with only Pete Moxham (27) showing any resistance, leaving the county town 55-4.

However Sam Goodhew with a fine unbeaten half century steadied them, and despite losing Quentin Miller (5) in a silly run out, Jon Legg (13 not out) helped Dorchester to victory with Goodhew (57 not out) hitting the winning runs.

Skipper Martyn Richards was pleased with his sides performance and especially Dunham and Goodhew.

"James bowled really well. He has been our most consistent bowler this season without getting the success he deserves, so it was great to see him get his first 'fifer' for the first team. He swung the ball a long way and it was a pity I had to take him off after seven overs as he might well have done more damage.

"Sam Goodhew also played very well. He had a bit of luck early on, but stayed there and it was great that he hit the winning runs.

"Jon Fryer rescued them with a well deserved half century when it looked like we might get them for a very low total, and then when we batted Steve Forshaw showed he is still a top bowler by moving the ball off the pitch and taking out our top batsmen."

**PARLEY 142 ALL OUT BEAT WEYMOUTH 124 ALL OUT BY 18 RUNS**

WEYMOUTH were disappointed to have dismissed last year's runners-up for just 142 but then to fall 19 runs short of victory.

Looking to make it three wins in a row, Dave Trotter (3-25) continued his good form by taking two early wickets, but Tom Jacques held firm and with the help of a couple of dropped chances went on to score a quick half century before he became a victim of

Dan Hutchens (3-29) for 54 with the score 64-4.

Kieran Price (20), Roshan Embalgama (14) and Matt Stickland (18) helped the hosts to eventually reach 142 all out after Simon Browne (2-18) and Cube Whyte (1-14 from ten overs) had got among the wickets.

Weymouth started steadily but when Jim Ryall was dismissed with the score on 29, wickets began to fall at regular intervals, and only skipper Dean Janaway (19) and Tom England (28) really got started as Sam Thomson (3-11 from ten overs) made inroads.

Rak Naik (4-27) then weighed in with his spin, and despite some late resistance from Browne (12) and Hutchens (11), Weymouth failed to make it a hat trick.

**Division Two  
BEAMINSTER 120-8 LOST TO WITCHAMPTON 122-9 BY ONE WICKET**

A FINE half century stand between Trevor Goss (22) and Adam Herring (42) couldn't quite help Beaminster overcome a top order collapse which eventually saw them go down to a one wicket defeat against Witchampton.

When Herring joined Goss, Beaminster had slumped to 52-6 with both Colin Lloyd (17) and captain Will Everitt (24) who both fell to dubious lbw decisions, the only batsmen to make any impact against the bowling of Croker (4-18 from 12 overs). Hibberd (3-28) eventually had both stumped as Beaminster recovered to 120-8.

Witchampton's reply didn't fare much better with wickets falling at regular intervals as Ritchie Runyard (6-37) produced his best figures of the season.

Rose (19) and Hibberd (23 not out) put them in touch of the winning line, before the introduction of Jack Walklett (2-8) with two wickets in two balls not only broke the partnership but saw them needing 20 to win with only one wicket left. However captain Hayter (5 not out) joined Hibberd to see them over the line.

Skipper Will Everitt said: "After a wobbly start from the top order batsmen, a good stand from newcomer Trevor Goss and Adam Herring saw us post a defendable total.

"Some outstanding bowling from Richard Runyard saw us move into a position from which we could win the game, and Jack Walklett took a vital wicket to dismiss Rose, but it was not to be, as their captain showed resilience to bat for the last 20 runs needed.

"I'm extremely pleased with the performance of a much changed side. We tried to the very last, and nearly pulled off a memorable win. Obviously we are frustrated to have missed out, but we play Weymouth next week and are confident of taking good points there."

**MARTINSTOWN 103 ALL OUT LOST TO WIMBORNE & COLEHILL 2ND 104-6 BY FOUR WICKETS**

MARTINSTOWN suffered their second loss of the season after once again losing the toss and being asked to bat on a wicket that was unfortunately wet in places where rain water had got under the covers.

Lee House and Ed Nichols got the hosts off to a steady start but when Nicholls (9) fell at 21 wickets tumbled at a regular basis and only the returning House (20) and Ryan Chase (11) were able to contend with the spin of O Bertrand (6-23 from 12 overs) who exploited the dampness in the wicket to rip out the middle order.

Although there was some resistance from Danny Way (17) and Matt Camp (12) to lift the score from 73-8, a total

of 103 was a poor return.

Chris Read bowled Bartlett in the first over in reply and when Way ran out Bertrand (9), Wimborne were struggling on 16-2.

Collision (29) and Dunk (12) set up the victory however with a 48 run third wicket partnership, after which Ben Ratcliffe (29 not out) steered them to victory despite some superb bowling from Way who bowled six consecutive maidens in his return of 3-7 from 11 overs.

Captain Danny Danc said: "Once again I lost a very important toss on a wicket that was unfortunately wet in places where rain water had got under the covers.

"Their openers bowled very tidy opening spells, and then they went to their spinners. The off spinner was the difference with the pitch assisting the turn, and he ripped through our middle order and tailenders.

"We put a good bowling performance together again, particularly Danny Way impressing again with an unbelievable spell that kept us in the game, and at one point I thought we could have a repeat of the week before at Cranborne.

"We didn't have enough runs to play with, although we took the game into the 37th over mainly due to Danny superb spell of bowling, which included six consecutive maidens.

"The toss was important and I was unfortunate not to win it again, however to be bowled out for just over 100 for consecutive weeks was very disappointing. I feel we need to learn to dig in when the going gets tough."

**WEYMOUTH 2ND 85 ALL OUT LOST TO DORCHESTER 2ND 86-6 BY FOUR WICKETS**  
DORCHESTER 2nds got back to winning ways following their heavy defeat against Beaminster last week with a four wicket victory over Weymouth 2nds who have yet to win, thanks to the Caldwell brothers, James and Will.

Both took two wickets as the county town got revenge for their senior sides defeat by Weymouth the previous week, as they bowled their hosts out for 85, before 13-year-old Will guided his side to victory with a mature 36 not out.

With both regular opening bowlers injured skipper Stuart Beasley (2-11) took the mantle and bowled Harry Tucker with the third ball of the innings before accounting for Ryan Monk (10) and when Cameron Armfield was run out, Weymouth were 26-3.

Ben Doidge (12) and David Pearce (19) were the only home batsmen to get into double figures before both becoming victims of Joe Power (3-19) leaving Will Caldwell (2-6) and 15-year-old James Caldwell (2-13) to mop up the tail.

Dorchester started just as badly losing Ian Legg and Rhys Cole for ducks to Graham Puckett who bowled superbly to take 1-11 from 12 overs and Michael Pearce (1-20).

However Will Caldwell batted patiently for his runs and helped by Beasley (15) they reached their target inside 29 overs despite Ryan Sers 3-12 to set the Dorchester nerves jangling at the end.

Victorious captain Beasley said: "It was a good toss to win. I grabbed a couple early wickets and then Joe Power got one of the big hitters Ben Doidge.

Will Caldwell on his debut for the seconds was almost unplayable, spinning the ball the furthest I have seen a young lad do before, and his brother James, also on his debut, bowled good lines to mop up the tail. Despite the

lowish score, we knew it was not going to be easy.

"We lost two early wickets, but Will carried his bat for a well deserved 36 not out, which was what the team needed. The win was a huge boost, and it was great to see a young lad in Will play with such ability and maturity and hopefully maybe push for a place in the first team in weeks to come."

Weymouth skipper Michael Pearce added: "We had the usual batting issues, and even as little as another 20 runs would have made it even closer than it was, and 30 may have swung it the other way.

"Credit to their opening batsman Will Caldwell; he showed great maturity in scoring his runs to see his side home."

**Division Three  
BRIDPORT 172-9 TIED WITH CERNE VALLEY 172 ALL OUT**

BRIDPORT were involved in an exciting finish to their match with Cerne Valley. Chasing 173 to win, it looked like J Barrett and A Mercer had put the visitors in the driving seat after splendid bowling from skipper Liam Toohill (4-24) had seen them slump from 87-1 to 130-8.

With two overs left they needed just six for victory. They took four off the penultimate over from Ben Briscoe, but following dot balls from Ed Hals-son's first two deliveries, Mercer (20) holed out to Dom Gape.

They took two off the next ball to take the scores level before Barrett (19) got ambitious and tried to hit a big winner but only succeeded in skying the ball leaving an easy catch for keeper Luke King to catch.

Cerne were indebted early on for a second wicket stand of 84 between R Lehal (46) and Neil Kellaway (45) after Gape (2-47) had trapped Jason Stiles for a duck.

Dave Herbert (1-21) produced another steady bowling performance before Hals-son (2-26) gave Bridport a share of the points.

Herbert had also given Bridport a great start to their innings, putting on 59 for the first wicket before Mark Smith (22) was unfortunately run out.

Herbert with two centuries already behind him this season, added 30 with Briscoe (9) and 24 with Toohill (11) until he was dismissed for a fine 76. Gape (23) and Wes Lewis (12 not out) helped the hosts to a creditable final score; D Portch (5-29) being Cerne's most successful bowler.

Toohill said: "I think a tie was a fair result. Dave Herbert once again produced a solid and well paced inning, knowing when to attack. Unfortunately he pulled a hamstring running around the boundary when in the field so could be out for several weeks.

"Mark Smith was solid in building a good start, and Dom Gape weighed in with a few hefty blows. Wes Lewis also once again scored some good runs in the lower order which have been very important."

**Division Five North & West  
CERNE VALLEY 2ND 149-5 BEAT BRIDPORT 2ND 147 ALL OUT BY FIVE WICKETS**

DESPITE some big hitting from Robin Jones and Duane Gay, Bridport 2nds failed to overcome Cerne Valley 2nds who won by five wickets.

Asked to bat on a wicket still soft from the rain, Rod Gay (20) and Jones put on 52 for the first wicket and although they lost Toby Hall (10), Bridport had moved to 104-2 before Jones, who hit seven 4s in his 40, was out going for a suicidal run.

George Chubb (6-15) then ripped out the heart of the middle order to leave Bridport stumbling on 115-6,



■ JAMES Dunham picked up a 'fifer' for Dorchester on Saturday when the county town beat Stalbridge

and despite four boundaries and three huge sixes from Gay he finally succumbed for 46 as the innings petered out leaving Cerne looking for 148 to win.

Downton (51) and Callaway (18) soon set about the Bridport bowling as they raced to 83 for the first wicket, and whilst Rod Gay (4-37) and Shane Parker (1-36) with his first senior reduced them to 122-5, the experienced visiting batsmen played their shots to ensure victory.

Captain Jamie Dollman said: "After the first four overs we gave them a head start with some lapses in the field. Duane Gay and Dan White could not find a way through and it wasn't until Rod Gay came on that we got success, but unfortunately too late."

**Division Six North & West  
GILLINGHAM 110-6 BEAT BEAMINSTER 2ND 105 ALL OUT BY FOUR WICKETS**

BEAMINSTER 2nds travelled to North Dorset with just eight players, and almost pulled off a shock win against the ten men hosts.

On a ground that was very soggy in places, Beaminster were invited to bat, and Brian Earl and David Hall produced a steady but encouraging first wicket stand of 59 before Hall went for 11. Earl however was not to be denied and carried his bat for a superb 59 not out of a total of 105 all out.

Ade Phillips (4-50) trapped M Train leg before in his first over and when skipper Hugh Rathbone took a simple caught behind the hosts were 15-2, and an unlikely victory suddenly looked a faint possibility.

However a third wicket stand of almost 60 saw the game back in Gillingham's favour but two quick wickets left them 78-4 and back in danger, and at 101-6 still not sure. However they clinched victory in style with a huge six out of the ground.

Rathbone was delighted by his team's efforts and also the spirit in which the game was played.

"Gillingham were very pleased that we had made the effort despite the lack of numbers, and I must thank them for their friendly and sporting attitude, and the rest of my team for their effort and support.

"Whilst victory seemed unlikely, there were two or three times where it looked like we may have a faint chance, and it wouldn't have surprised me if we had sprung an upset because we have showed more than once this season that we have a never say die spirit.

"Everyone gave their all particularly Ade Phillips and Terry Field (2-30) who never gave up trying with the ball."

## As they stand

**DORSET FUNERAL PLAN  
SATURDAY LEAGUE**

Premier League	Pld	Pts
Wimborne & Cole.....	7	119
Broadstone.....	7	109
Parley.....	7	108
Poole Town.....	7	95
WEYMOUTH.....	7	80
Ferndown Wayf.....	7	77
DORCHESTER.....	7	76
Blandford.....	7	45
Stalbridge.....	7	44
Winton.....	7	36

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Shillingstone.....	7	108
Wimborne & Cole.....	7	106
Cranborne.....	7	102
MARTINSTOWN.....	7	102
Christchurch.....	7	70
Witchampton.....	7	68
DORCHESTER II.....	7	55
BEAMINSTER.....	7	50
Poole Town II.....	7	36
WEYMOUTH II.....	7	-8

Division Three	Pld	Pts
Winton II.....	7	118
CATTISTOCK.....	7	102
Compton House.....	7	97
Cerne Valley.....	7	83
PORTLAND RT.....	7	79
Ferndown Wayf II.....	7	69
Stalbridge II.....	7	68
BRIDPORT.....	7	64
Broadstone III.....	7	49
Parley II.....	7	36

Division Five (NW)	Pld	Pts
DORCHESTER III.....	7	114
WEY LONGSHOTS.....	6	101
ABBOTSBURY.....	6	87
CREWKERNE.....	6	81
Bradford Abbas.....	6	72
BRIDPORT II.....	6	70
Cerne Valley II.....	6	54
Henstridge.....	7	48
Marnhull II.....	6	-55

Division Six (NW)	Pld	Pts
MARTINSTOWN II.....	6	94
Shillingstone II.....	5	72
PORTLAND RT II.....	5	69
BEAMINSTER II.....	4	64
Stalbridge III.....	5	52
Sturminster & Hint.....	5	25
Gillingham.....	4	16

**LONGHAM GARDEN  
MACHINERY  
SUNDAY LEAGUE**

Division Three	Pld	Pts
PORTLAND RT.....	5	86
SYMENE.....	6	74
Stalbridge.....	5	66
Sherborne.....	5	65
Winton II.....	6	57
CHARLTON DOWN.....	6	56
Pokesdown Will.....	5	50
Parley.....	5	43
Lytchett Minster.....	5	28

Division Four	Pld	Pts
Shillingstone.....	6	82
Winton.....	6	78
Ellingham.....	5	63
Sturminster & Hin.....	5	52
Cheselbourne.....	5	50
Christchurch.....	5	39
Swanage.....	4	37
PORTLAND RT.....	5	32
Bournemouth.....	5	11



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# Fox-Pitt: Greenwich made for Lionheart



■ **SPEED KING:** Paul Blake who is looking forward to this week's European Paralympic Championships

DORSET'S Olympic bronze medalist William Fox-Pitt believes Greenwich Park is the ideal venue for his horse Lionheart when they compete in this summer's London 2012 Olympics.

The 43-year-old from Sturminster Newton will be competing in his fourth Olympics, and looking to better the team bronze he won along with teammates Kristina Cook and Mary King in Beijing in 2008, and replicate the success they enjoyed at the 2010 World Championships, where they won team gold, and Fox-Pitt claimed individual silver.

On his selection Fox-Pitt said: "It's a great honour and a privilege to be selected for the British team and particularly exciting as it's on home ground.

"I can't wait for the Games to get started; I'm sure the London Olympics will be an unbelievable experience. It's very exciting to be part of such a strong team, and I'm particularly delighted for my long-time owners Judy and Jeremy Skinner.

"Lionheart is a phenomenal horse, an incredible athlete with a great temperament, and he'll be able to cope with Greenwich perfectly.

"I'm really looking forward to riding there; he's only a 10-year-old but a very generous and talented horse. In my opinion he's made for Greenwich."

The rest of the Team GB that will be competing at Greenwich Park from July 28th to 31st is: *Kristina Cook (Miners Frolic)*, *Piggy French (Jakata or DHI Topper W)*, *Mary King (Imperial Cavalier)* and *Zara Phillips (High Kingdom)*.

**Blake sends a signal to rivals**  
DORCHESTER'S Olympic gold medal hope Paul Blake sent a timely message to his rivals by scorching to the fastest T36 400m time in the world this year when winning the Paralympic German National title in Berlin recently.

Blake who is already the IPC Athletics World Champion at this distance achieved a personal best of 55.02 in what he considers his

weakest event.

Blake already holds the world record for the 800m and 1500m, and although the longer distance is not an Olympic distance in the Paralympics, he is favourite to win both the shorter races.

Although his main rivals weren't competing he will have sent them a very strong signal that he is running into the form of his life, and will have the chance to gauge his challengers this week in the European Paralympic Championships in Holland.

This will be a good test for the 22-year-old from Charlton Down as they are the same events he will run in London and there will be heats which means should he qualify for the finals, he will be running every day over four days, so fitness will play a big part.

Blake however is up for the challenge and told *View Sport* that training is going well and he is feeling strong and looking forward to the championships and racing his rivals.



■ **GOING FOR GOLD:** William Fox-Pitt aboard Lionheart who he believes will relish Greenwich Park

## SW SCHOOLS' TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

BRUISED and battered Benedict Westhenry was left to ruefully regret the moment that the gold medal in the senior boys' 200m steeplechase was wrenched from his grasp at the South West Schools' Track & Field Championships, *writes KEVIN FAHEY.*

The 17-year-old Weymouth-based teenager, who is a student at Thomas Hardy Sixth Form College in Dorchester, was nicely poised on the shoulder of Somerset's Blair Brown as the gruelling race on Saturday entered the final two laps when disaster struck.

"I was feeling really relaxed and comfortable and thinking about making my move when I clattered into the barrier and ended up flat on the track," said Westhenry.

"I really banged my knee and by the time I got up I had lost 25/30 metres on Blair and the race was lost.

"I still ran a personal best but I know I can so much quicker. I was looking for 5mins 50secs today and I know I am fit enough to run that."

Westhenry was taken off to the medical room after the race to have his knee bandaged and hopefully there will be no lasting damage as he prepares to joining the Dorset squad travelling to the north east for the English Schools' Championships in Gateshead on July 6th & 7th.

"I am still a first year in the senior boys' age group but I believe I can win a medal at the English Schools," added Westhenry, whose time is the third quickest in the UK under 20 men's age group this summer. But he will have to make sure he doesn't clatter in to the barrier to do it.

Another Thomas Hardy School student to impress was Tara Chittenden as she finished runner-up in the junior girls' 1500m.

The 14-year-old showed she can rise to the big occasion she carved almost four seconds off her personal

best in a time of 4mins 44.8secs.

Top county sprinter Holly Butt, who goes to the Colfax School, Bridport, picked up two medals with victory in the inter girls' 100 in 12.43secs and then adding silver in the 200m.

In the inter girls' 3000m there was a fine victory for Chard-based runner Isobel Glaisher, who goes to St Mary's School in Shaftesbury, in a time of 10:14.50.

### DORSET MEDALS

**GOLDS:** SB 200 R Young 22.14; IB HJ Nick Hunt 1.99; IB SP Hunt 16.58; IB TJ 1 W Bailey 13.03; SG 400H S Kearsey 65.85; IG 100 Holly Butt 12.43; IG 3000 Isobel Glaisher 10:14.50; JG 800 Elizabeth Hood 2:18.75.

**SILVERS:** SB 400H Hole 59.05; SB HJ O Roberts 1.75; SB 2000 S/C Benedict Westhenry 6:01.93; IB 800 M Logan 2:00.03; IB 1500 S/C D Toth 4:41.27; JB HJ R Webb 1.69; JB LJ P Sylla 6.14; SG 400 Lizzie Harris 60.84; SG 1500S/C Grace Howie 5:35.98; SG PV K James 3.30; SG LJ K White 5.00; SG TJ D Wickham 10.90; IG 200 Butt 25.89; IG LJ Laura Deardon 5.10; IG JT N Whiskens 36.25; JG 1500 T Chittenden 4:44.48.

**BRONZES:** SB 200 T Hole 22.78; SB 400 R Young 49.51; SB PV J Snook 3.60; SB LJ Ashton Gardner 6.16; SB HT A Tuck 49.07; IB 200 K Hodgson 22.98; IB 3000 B Wilson 9:01.73; IB 100H M Curtis 14.01; IB PV 3 D Guy 3.30; JB 100 J Robinson 11.75; JB 400 T Lewis 54.21; JB PV R Long 2.60; JB HT W Bowen-Ashwin 20.65; SG TJ H Winton 10.62.

### South West Schools' Track & Field Championships, Exeter Arena

(A=Avon; C=Cornwall; D=Devon; Do=Dorset; G=Gloucestershire; S=Somerset; W=Wiltshire).

**Senior Boys - DORSET:** 100: 7 Alex Horner 11.92; 1500: 8 F O'Reilly 4:27.37; 2000S/C: 6 H Lane 6:20.95; DT: NT C Horner; JT: 7 T Searight 42.44.

**Inter Boys - DORSET:** 100: 4 T Sherborne 11.42; 7 K Hodgson 11.58; 400: 4 M Egan 52.29 (hts 52.05); 800: 9 H Horton-Hill 2:05.52; 10 L Kellaway 2:05.64; 1500: 5 A Smith 4:11.50; 100H: 7 N Brooks 14.44; 400H: 4 C Flavell 62.3; PV: 4 M Curtis 3.30; HJ: 6 G Walker 1.69; LJ: 4 Ian Moore 6.17; 7 J Roberts 5.78; SP: 10 C Cudlip 10.47; DT: 6 R Smith 32.69; 9 W Neish 31.29.

**Junior Boys - DORSET:** 100: 5 S Rutter 11.89; 200: 5 Robinson 24.14; 6 S Rutter 24.20; 800: 7 J Sotheran 2:13.65; 9 L Golden 2:16.58; 1500: 10 R Cooper 4:40.73; 80H: 4 L Shepherd 12.04; TJ: 7 A Smith 11.32; SP: 9 C Martin 10.69; JT: 6 W Bowen-Ashin 41.36; 10 B Dickinson 35.83; DT: 6 T Peters 30.71.

**Senior Girls - DORSET:** 400: 5 P Beer 63.65 (hts 63.33); LJ: NJ H Winton.

**Inter Girls - DORSET:** 100: 7 R Welsh 12.80; 300hts: K Allan 44.55; A James 44.62; 800: 5 S Hutchings 2:21.01; 1500: 10 R Warrington 5:31.49; 80H: 8 Katie Wickham 12.80 (9hts 121.63); 300H hts: H Aldridge 50.52; LJ: 4 A Brown 5.03; 9 R Welch 4.72; TJ: 4 K Holloway 10.12; SP: 9 E Hounsell 8.25; HT: 4 H Slade 23.45; DT: 7 N Pickard 21.62; 8 F Servaes 15.43.

**Junior Girls - DORSET:** 100: 6 L Cooper 13.17 (hts 13.11); hts A Lench 13.63; 200hts: Cooper 25.57; 1500: 6 A Hine 4:59.81; 75H hts: J Arnold 13.20; L Humphrey 13.04; HJ: 6 R Wootton 1.51; 9 J Arnold 1.41; LJ: 12 S Cash 4.37; SP: 9 N Jochun 8.64; JT: 4 E Carpenter 28.64.



■ **EIGHT-year-old Tyler Nottley** competed at an inter schools martial arts competition in Weymouth earlier this month.

He kept first in his technique class and third in the sparring.

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■ **FOUR** members of Weymouth RFC, including Amanda Wilding, Matthew Hanson, Jane Snarey and Ruth Hicks, took part in a 17k Commando Challenge to raise money for the Royal Marines charitable trust fund.

The event, which took place at Lymington Barracks in Devon, was spread over three phases - a four mile run to Woodbury Common, a three mile cross country endurance course including Peter's Pool, Sheep Dip, Crocodile Pit and tunnels, and finally a four mile run back to barracks.

At the last count, the team have raised £510 between them and would like to take this opportunity to thank everybody who have sponsored them and supported this valuable and worth while charity.

They would also like to give a shout out to Elizabeth Bell who was meant to take part in the challenge but unfortunately had to pull out due to a broken leg during a rugby training session.



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## INSIDE: Countdown to the Games

# Simpkin delighted with Watson signing Dorchester 2nd XI

DORCHESTER Town manager Phil Simpkin is absolutely delighted with new signing Ben Watson.

The former Exeter City striker joined the club last week following Simpkin's return from holiday, and becomes the Magpies' second summer signing following the arrival of goalkeeper Jason Matthews in May.

Watson arrives at the Avenue Stadium following a season at fellow Blue Square South rivals Eastbourne Borough where he scored twelve goals in 35 appearances.

Simpkin said: "I am absolutely delighted that Ben has joined us, he is just the player we are looking for. He is real quality; powerful, sharp, quick and scores goals. There is a pedigree about him."

"There were a number of clubs after him, and many who offered more financially than we could, but I must thank the chairman Shaun Hearn for his hard work, and between us and Tom Nichols we sold him the club."

Nichols was on loan for three

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months from Exeter City last season and was so impressed with his stay with the county town club he was more than happy to pass on his experience to Watson.

"Tom actually gave me Ben's number initially as I have been tracking him for a couple of seasons now, and told him all about us, how we play and what a good club we are, which was a big help in securing the deal."

"Ben has had three years Football League experience with Exeter City and is a proven goalscorer at this level and above, and in fact scored one of the goals in Eastbourne's 3-0 win against us at The Avenue last season, and was a thorn in our side in both games."

"I think from the way we play and the chances we create that he will prove to be a big hit."

The 26-year-old, who was originally on Brighton & Hove Albion's books, has moved back to the area and settled in Exeter and has signed a one-year contract.

Simpkin confirmed he was still looking to add to the squad but cited the financial restraints and geographical

location as drawbacks to attracting players.

He was however hopeful of signing more players either on permanent or loan terms in the coming weeks.

"We start back to training next Thursday (July 5th) and have a number of trialists we will be running our eye over."

"We have been quite selective in our choice, and usually you find one or two useful players worth pursuing."

"We will also look at the loan market after the season is up and running. We have a good relationship with Exeter City, Aldershot Town, Plymouth Argyle and Yeovil Town, so hopefully that is something we can look at."

"Unfortunately for us Tom Nichols is not available as he is expected to be involved with the Grecians first team squad, and we wish him every success. He's a lovely lad and we hope his career will take off. However if it doesn't work out, we would welcome him back here like a shot, and I know he loved it here last season."



■ Ben Watson



■ DORCHESTER CC 2nd XI pictured before a recent game: Back (l-r) - Andy Harris (scorer), Scott Parker, Pete Horne, Matt Porter, Krish Subramium, Joe Power; Front (l-r) - Nick Voss, Rhys Cole, Stuart Beasley (capt), Mike Peak, Ian Legg

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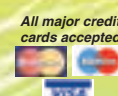
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